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Applicant herewith submits to the United States Designated/Elected Office (DO/EO/US) the following items and other information:								
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<ol> <li>[x] A proper Demand for International Preliminary Examination was made by the 19th month from the earliest claimed priority date.</li> </ol>								
<ul> <li>5. [x] A copy of the International Application as filed (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(2))</li> <li>a. [] is transmitted herewith (required only if not transmitted by the International Bureau).</li> <li>b. [x] has been transmitted by the International Bureau.</li> <li>c. [] is not required, as the application was filed in the United States Receiving Office (RO/US).</li> </ul>								
6. [] A translation of the International Application into English (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(2)).								
7. [] Amendments to the claims of the International Application under PCT Article 19 (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(3)) a. [] are transmitted herewith (required only if not transmitted by the International Bureau). b. [] have been transmitted by the International Bureau. c. [] have not been made; however, the time limit for making such amendments has NOT expired. d. [] have not been made and will not be made.								
8. [] A translation of the amendn	nents to the claims under PCT Artic	le 19 (35 U.S. C. 371(c)(3)).						
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